

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
WESTERN DIVISION**

ORDER

Before the Court is the parties' Stipulation for Dismissal with Prejudice (Doc. 12).

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a), the Court DISMISSES the above-styled action *with prejudice*. The costs associated with this action shall be borne by Defendant, Jackson County, Missouri. The Clerk of the Court is directed to mark this action as closed.

Date: January 29, 2008

/s/ Dean Whipple
Dean Whipple
United States District Judge